

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:)

Woods)

Serial No.: 10/538,516)

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For: Smoking Articles)

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Amendment B under 37 C.F.R. § 1.142

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment for the application referenced above. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.